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Money to Loan.

Local and General

A. McFadyen opened the season  
1917, being the first to haul all  
years grain to the town elevator.

The lightning on Thursday night  
last week struck and splintered the  
centre flag pole on the grand stand  
at the local fair ground.

W. Tims shipped to Calgary on  
Tuesday, one car of choice steers  
and one of beef cattle.

Nurse King left town on Monday  
evening last for her home in the  
east. Mr. and Mrs. Bray accom-  
panied her to Calgary.

The W.A. of the Church of the  
Ascension, will meet on Thursday  
next, October 4th, at the home of  
Mrs. Wilson, at 2:45. Will all  
members please attend for special  
business.

Ed. Myers and his threshing outfit  
pulled out last week end to help  
to thresh this season's crop.

The McCaskin boys have been  
building a bunk car for Charlie  
Smart. Charlie will be all spick  
now with a new cook car also. He  
started threshing on Wednesday.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.  
Memorial Service.

Services, Sunday, September 30th,  
17th Sunday after Trinity.

10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and

Sermon.

Rev. J. P. Dingle will preach.  
Collection in aid of the Red Cross  
Society.

Baptisms.—At the Church of the  
Ascension, Sunday, Sept. 23rd.

William Charles Tims.

Wilbur Jackson Wigle.

Mr. J. Mewhort called to see us  
on Monday last. Mr. Mewhort was  
the founder of the Chronicle some  
ten years ago, he was spending a  
day renewing old acquaintances.  
He recently joined the A.M.C., and  
is on the staff at the Calgary hospital.  
Mr. Mewhort has suspended the  
publication of his paper at McBride,  
B.C., indefinitely to do his bit for  
the Empire."

Union Church, Sunday, Sept. 30th  
Services, on west end of circuit,  
Bottrel at 11 a.m., Beaver Dan at  
2 p.m., Sunshine at 4 p.m., and  
Crossfield at 7:30 p.m. At the  
country points the service will be a  
Childern's "Italy Day" Service  
and all parents are particularly  
invited to attend. The subject for the  
evening service will be "The Supreme  
Art."

Rally Day will be observed at the  
Union Church Sunday School, on  
Sunday, Sept. 30th at 11:30 a.m.  
All are invited to attend.

Wanted to Rent, ½ Section, with good  
Buildings, and within easy distance of  
town.—Apply to the Postmaster.

Farmers Insure your Build-  
ings in the Wanessa Mutual  
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We have everything in Lumber, Laths, Cement, Woodfibre,  
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See us for all kinds of Machinery.

For Sale—Berkshire Boars \$25; Two Registered Shorthorn Bulls \$150  
and \$225. G. T. Jones.

Lost—On Friday, June 22nd, between Crossfield and D. K. Fike's  
corner, a Black Rubber Wrap Rug, green lined. Finder please leave at  
Wicks Livery Barn.

On Sale—Seven Shoots, 9 weeks old. Phone 4505. Jos. Crossman.  
Lost—an Iron Wagon, east of the railway on the blind line.  
Finder please phone 209.

For Sale—One foot Deering Binder. Apply E. D. High.

For Sale—One Durco Boar. Apply to I. C. Hubbs.

Strayed from Sec. 11, 29, 2, One Black Mare, rising two years old.  
Branded on right shoulder D.K. D. K. Fike.

Wanted, Three Teams and Men for hauling bundles for Threshing.  
Will pay current wages. Apply D. K. Fike.

Lost, Roan Heifer, 3 years old. Branded right ribs  
W. J. Anderson. 

For Sale—80 Breeding Ewes. Apply J. Ingham, Sampson.

Lost—Collie Dog, Black and White, answers to the name of Dick.  
\$2 Reward. E. Springstein, Phone 111, Crossfield.

BOYS' SUITS--Boys' Odd Pants  
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## AUCTION SALE

FRIDAY, Sept. 28th, 1917

At One o'clock sharp.

J. W. DURNO has been instructed by Mr. Ed. J. Wheelen,  
who has sold out his holdings, to sell, at CARSON BROS.  
LIVERY BARN, Crossfield, without reserve, the following:

3 Reg. Clydesdale MARES

14 Grade Mares and Geldings

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## Your Eleven Acres

One Person Must Live Off the Production of Eleven Acres

The earth has a trifling less than 17,000,000 square miles of total surface. A little over a fourth of this surface is land—5,500,000 square miles of it. And there are 28,000,000 square miles, or a scant fraction over one-half, that can be used for food production. This is the desert, the deserts, the arid, polar regions. A little of this might possibly be reclaimed, but not very much.

So here we have two vital facts in the practical geography of today:

There are 1,000,000 people earth to feed, and 28,000,000 square miles of tillable land with which to do it. Or, reduced to figures in round numbers, we find that one person must live off the production of every eleven acres, on the average, of the world over. Don't say "It can't be done," if it takes more than somebody will starve. In Belgium, today, as for the last two years, helpless mothers watch their babies slowly starve to death before their eyes. Poland is in almost as pitiable a plight, judging from the fragmentary reports that have filtered through. All Europe is suffering to some extent, the poor especially, Farm and Fireside.

Thousands of mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother's Milk. Woe to the Exterminator, because they know from experience how useful it is.

## Open Air Lessons

Kensington Gardens are becoming quite an academy (says a writer in the Daily News and Leader). Almost every winter you find little private school classes in all sorts of out-of-the-way nooks—tiny children in a circle with the teacher in the centre. In fact, the Gardens have become quite an open-air kindergarten. Students of all kinds may be seen with their paraphealaria. Child water-color artists are numerous, and yesterday I was amused to see a young girl, dressed in a coat upon a great volume of Beethoven, while she worked engrossed at a manuscript music book in her hand. It is sad to realize under such conditions should be at the mercy of a capricious climate.

## Changed His Mind

A man of notoriously bad character, residing in a large house, was about to migrate. To gain assistance from the emigration commissioners, one must have a character, and the man accordingly asked his wife of the neighborhood, "What would you like me to do, and everybody therefore testified to his excellent reputation." No one was more astonished than the man himself at this result. He had a long list of signatures, with his long list of signatures, he said, "Well, I had no idea I was so much esteemed in the neighborhood. I think I shall stay."

## Tasty and



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The convenient soda biscuit becomes a real treat when it's

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## A Family Reunion

The Real Englishman Now Meets the Real American

An American minister, the Rev. Dr. J. F. Newton, now pastor of the City Temple, London, very truly said in a recent article in the Pall Mall Gazette: "America enters the arena with no military option, with no illusions; but, as regards the ultimate outcome, without a shadow of doubt, No man can foretell what will fit this alliance between the United States and England may have upon our future relations. The entry of America is like a family reunion of a strayed child returning home after a while. You will presently meet a new kind of American. You are already familiar with the 'globe-trotter,' the get-rich-quick, the speculator. Now the real American is going to meet the real Englishman! They will meet as comrades in the trench, and on the killing line, this time. So here we have two vital facts in the practical geography of today: There are 1,000,000 people earth to feed, and 28,000,000 square miles of tillable land with which to do it. Or, reduced to figures in round numbers, we find that one person must live off the production of every eleven acres, on the average, of the world over. Don't say "It can't be done," if it takes more than somebody will starve. In Belgium, today, as for the last two years, helpless mothers watch their babies slowly starve to death before their eyes. Poland is in almost as pitiable a plight, judging from the fragmentary reports that have filtered through. All Europe is suffering to some extent, the poor especially, Farm and Fireside.

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## FIGHTING FOR HAPPINESS

When you get into a frame of mind that nothing can give you some duty after another, with no pleasure in it; when ill-health seems to take all the fun out of life and you are getting tired of it, then it is really not worth worrying about your nervous system is becoming exhausted, and you are in the way to a general breakdown in health. If you are a good Christian, then it is God who is fighting for you, and goodness is what you need. If you are a bad Christian, then it is the devil who is fighting for you, and red blood is what your system needs. It is a hopeless task to try to live a life of misery when you are really not worth worrying about.

Always set yourself that it is the duty of every true German, whether socialist or Junker, to insist upon a strong German future, for the sake of humanity, future internal development, and the welfare of the state, of the church, of good wages, and universal national warfare, the typical concludes:

"Our duty is to live and die for our country, and to defend it to the last."

The war which is still at Santiago, and England's fatigued horse will soon

already. The Englishman, our greatest and basest enemy, is

hesitating to test the pangs of hunger.

Only little will he do to the Englishman, when he realizes that he is himself about to suffer the death by starvation, which he had planned, and will cry for an "understanding."

"Then, German soul, be mercilessly hard! Let there be no peace at any price, peace which is the bad

crops all the world over, bring us a

little extra grain of substance and could only result in lifelong remorse. Let each one think

only of his own welfare, which comes but to him, and international brotherhood! Let the voice of every man and woman ring out as loudly as possible, demand

from every one who has rejected

so all our repeated efforts of peace to reimburse us richly for all our sacrifices! German men and women! You are warned! Act accordingly!"

## Britons Must Be Adaptable

Sir Thomas Lipton, the well-known sportsman and successful merchant, discussed the other day upon the conditions of success referred to the Great Britain a great commercial power that she is at present. He used illustrations from his own travels.

"In India," said, "the lions lay little eggs, which the British can easily snap so low as to be hard to handle. Often I had noted this and wondered why English manufacturers, who are the best in the world, did not make them in all parts of the Empire? Well, they are not wanted in any country, so there are always quantities waiting everywhere in the British Empire to be picked up."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

## Tree Plantings in Alberta

John Glenbeck of Alberta, has planted many trees on his farm near Gleichen. Five years ago he planted 1,000 trees, seedlings and cuttings. They were obtained from the government nursery station at Indian Head, Saskatchewan, and consisted of Manitoba maple, green ash, willow and cottonwood. The maples, ash and willows are from 6 to 8 feet high, and the cottonwood 12 feet high. Two years ago he set out 1,300 more trees received from the same place and some sort of trees.

Two years ago he set out some 1,500 more trees, among which were some tamaracks. All are doing well,

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It Tells Germans the Allies Will Demand \$4,000,000,000 a Year

A copy of one of the claims being distributed all over Germany by the advocates of "Hindenburg peace"—that is, more territory and indemnities for the Kaiser—has been issued through reliable sources by the London Daily Mail.

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## A Faithful Dog

Attached to a French command was a dog named Michael, larger, stronger, more intelligent than the others, and of a gentle nature that made him a general favorite.

Michael, although "a brute," earned his particular affections upon a young French soldier named Henri. Every day at the soup hour Michael would appear carrying a tin can and place it beside Henri, who would fill it as he did his own, and they would drink together.

The day came, however, when Henri failed to return, and as the men stumbled back again to safety Michael scanned with anxious eyes, each pale, anxious face, his sensitive nostrils quivering with dread.

When the last man had been accounted for and Henri was still missing, the animal darted toward the battlefield and after some time returned, greatly excited and carrying an old half-glove which belonged to his friend. He could scarcely wait for the attendants to bring a litter before he started off again, his great intelligent eyes imploring them to hurry.

In a remote part of the field they found the young fellow lying still and cold. After a hasty examination the doctor lets him die, hurrying away to secure the living, but Michael refused to be convinced. Again and again he returned for assistance, but in vain, so he mounted his solitary guard, his face almost humanly expressive of grief.

The attack took place about sundown and it was not until late that night that comparative quiet settled down upon the trenches. Suddenly the moon flashed from behind a cloud and the alert sentinel peered sharply about, then brought his rifle swiftly to bear.

Not twenty feet away, creeping slowly towards the trenches, but halting abruptly every minute, loomed a large dark object. The sentry advanced cautiously, finger on trigger, demanding curtly, "Who goes there?" followed by the stilled exclamation, "Michael!"

Michael it was gasping, panting, but still the same old dog Michael—but not alone. Behind him a party of Germans, literally torn away by the dog's barking, fled. Having dragged from the battlefield, inch by inch, by the devoted animal, And miracle of miracles, the boy was actually breathing.

How the animal had accomplished such a Herculean task and escaped the vigilant eyes of the field attendants will, for ever remain a mystery, but suffice to say that little, fragile-looking Henri ultimately recovered to challenge death once more at the front.

## Ask Someone Else

"What am I to do?" asked a man, named Amos, Bakensfield, of a judge.

"About 200 elk have invaded my ranch and are cleaning up all the hay I have got. I dare not shoot them, without running the risk of imprisonment, and if I let them remain where they are I stand to lose thousands of dollars, for hay is selling to-day at \$20 a ton. The judge said the law had provided no directions for him in such circumstances. The rancher thereupon left the court with the intention of procuring cowboys to have the animals herded.

## A Near Shave

An airman's death has been the cause of every searching enquiry. Lieutenant Cremeti was the young airman who, in the big raid on London, twice charged through the German squadron and broke up their formation. He chased two of the raiders towards the North Sea and brought down one at the mouth of the Thames. He won the D.C.M. at the battle of the Marne, was mentioned in despatches for his work at Wytschaete, and was promoted to captain. He was killed in France.

At the instant it was stated that an officer had flown his machine at Howton half an hour before the accident and reported that the engine was out of order. Lieutenant Cremeti said he did not believe it was, and went up with it. When at about 600 feet the aeroplane dropped about 100 feet, and after recovering somewhat took a side turn and fell to the earth, taking fire.

## Was He Punished?

Leave of absence from a Scottish camp having been refused him, a lad of 19 left his quarters in order to get married, but when the train was a mile from the station where the prospective bride was waiting the soldier was arrested as a deserter. When his story was told to the court at Glasgow, Willie Mitchell expressed regret that he had been compelled to do this, but he pointed out that as both parties had expressed their desire for marriage, with the court as witness, the Scots law was satisfied, and all that was required was the sheriff's permission to register. The couple went to the county buildings, where the legal formality of marriage was gone through, and later the bridegroom returned to the police station to await an escort.

## Lodge Cards

### CROSSFIELD LODGE I.O.O.F.

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Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.  
Visiting Brethren Welcome.  
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## Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8:30 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.  
St-52. W. McRory, Sec.-Treas.

## Crossfield School District No. 752

The Regular Meeting of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March May, July, September and November. All business of business pertaining to this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Bank.

A. R. Thomas, Chairman.

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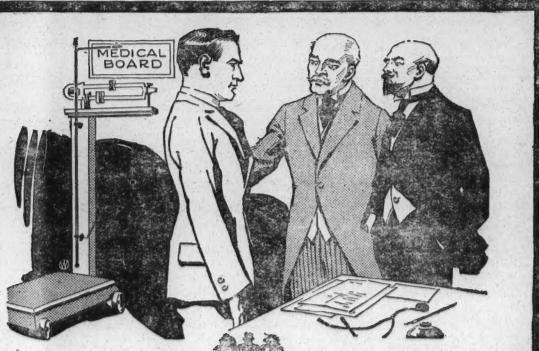
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Are you liable to be selected for service under the Military Service Act?

The answer to this question is being made readily available for you. Remember that the first class to be called includes only men between the ages of 20 and 34, both inclusive, who are unmarried or widowers without children; those married after July 6, 1917, but not divorced single for the purpose of the Act.

Medical Boards are now being established throughout Canada. These Boards will examine, free of charge and obligation, all men who wish to be examined as to their physical fitness for military service. They will tell you in a very short time whether your

physical condition absolves you from the call or makes you liable for selection.

It is important that you obtain this information as soon as possible. A certificate of unfitness from a Medical Board will secure for you freedom from responsibility under the Military Service Act for any Exemption Tribunal. A certificate of fitness will not preclude an appeal for exemption on any ground.

In order that you may be able to plan your future with certainty, visit a Medical Board as soon as possible and find out if you are liable to be selected. Your family and your employer are interested as well as yourself.

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## Sugar Beet In Alberta

One of the Best Growing Crops in Western Canada

It is perhaps not generally known that the sugar beet is one of the best growing crops in Western Canada. Not only does this crop grow well, but there is no doubt that with the necessary labor and capital one of the most successful industries in Canada can be built upon the cultivation of beets for sugar.

In Southern Alberta alone the areas suitable to the growth of the best kind of sugar beets is greater than twice the size of the largest districts producing sugar beets in the United States. That more has not been heard of the possibilities of this crop in Alberta is mainly due to the success of the farmer in the growing and stock raising. But, just as a higher quantity of grain, with larger yields, is produced in Western Canada than in the other districts, so sugar beets grown here generally contain a higher percentage of sugar and yield a greater tonnage to the acre than those grown elsewhere. Testimony was given under irrigation from five different kinds of seed at the Dominion government Experimental Station at Lethbridge showing that the best average yield was 93.4 tons per acre, with a sugar percentage of 15.84, 19.42, 17.85 and 16.25 respectively. In the same districts crops without irrigation yielded even less than nine tons per acre were killed outright in their classrooms. And these recent raids have shown more clearly than ever before that no possible amount or quality of sugar can be attained by them or even sought to be attained by them in any direct and fair-minded way. And yet, that these facts do not affect the continuation of our raids beyond control we believe that our children's children in years to come will be grateful beyond expression that the British government, in this trying time, are not ready to abandon their own standard of civilization, but resisted stoutly a great temptation to retaliate in kind.

And we believe that to adopt reprisal measures of this kind in the present time would be to drop a tried and effective weapon out of our hand and take up a disadvantageous one. We believe that, to our shame, we are today very largely masters of the air at the battle-front, where aircraft are perfectly legitimate weapons. Hitler's belief is on the whole the people are too loyal. The country, however, shows some signs of movements towards self-government, although it is not yet clear what they are likely to be. Hitler's belief is that they were not yet ready for it, as even in municipal matters the Englishman was often dependent on the take the initiative.

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## Not Imitating Diabolical Act Improvement Of Alberta Wool

Reprisals on Germany for Exhibition of Frightfulness are Not Favoured

We are pleased beyond measure, says the Christian Guardian, with the indications that there will be no yielding on the part of the British authorities and the British people in general to the very strong pressure of the German authorities in favor of reprisals on Germany to follow the recent disastrous air raids on England. The debate on the subject in the house of lords would indicate a very strong opposition to any报复性 measure, and the opposition, with such retaliatory measures, the minister of war, Sir Ernest Derby, expressing his belief that the whole world would rejoice if there were the suggestion that Britain should not try to imitate Germany in her brutal attacks upon non-combatant people.

It is true that the recent raids have been the most cruel of all those that have yet taken place, especially in the horrors of their destruction of women and children. In one school less than nineteen hundred children were killed outright in their classrooms. And these recent raids have shown more clearly than ever before that no possible amount or quality of sugar can be attained by them or even sought to be attained by them in any direct and fair-minded way. And yet, that these facts do not affect the continuation of our raids beyond control we believe that our children's children in years to come will be grateful beyond expression that the British government, in this trying time, are not ready to abandon their own standard of civilization, but resisted stoutly a great temptation to retaliate in kind.

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## Western Canada Wool Is Very Much in Demand by Buyers

Thanks to the efforts of the Dominion government in instructing the farmers in the raising of sheep and the care of fleeces, a marked improvement in the quality of the wool was shown at the Calgary Exhibition recently. Wool was shown from all over the province, from Edmonton in the north to Magrath in the south, and there was a marked increase in the number of entries over last year. More domestic wool was exhibited than formerly, which shows that an increasing number of herds are being raised with greater protection and care than range sheep receive.

In the past farmers have not devoted much time to sheep raising, the importance of the breed has come over the situation in recent years. A study of the character of Canadian wool is based on the quality of the herds, associations were formed in various provinces for the purpose of grading and selling the wool on a cooperative basis, so that the quality has been eminently satisfactory, is shown by the prices being obtained for Alberta wool, and the quality of the wool at the 1931 year at the Calgary Exhibition. Western Canadian wool is very much in demand, and is bought up in keen competition every season, buyers from Boston to the far west are anxious to secure the all-well-known breeds do well, and they are regarded as among the most profitable animals a farmer can raise.

## India Too Loyal To Rebel

Rev. Oswald Younghusband of Lahore, Is in Canada on Special Mission

There is no danger of an uprising in India, is the belief of Rev. Oswald Younghusband of Lahore, India, who arrived in Toronto on his way from Europe. He believes that on the whole the people are too loyal. The country, however, shows some signs of movements towards self-government, although it is not yet clear what they are likely to be. Hitler's belief is that they were not yet ready for it, as even in municipal matters the Englishman was often dependent on the take the initiative.

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## Tatty and Epithathy

It Is a Cardinal Principle If Not Motto of the Red Cross

Long ago, someone remarked that an ounce of taffy is worth a ton of epithathy. A ten-cent piece will buy a taffy, but a thousand dollars a \$20 funeral wreath for the dead.

That's the motto of the Red Cross. It is much cheaper to soothe and comfort a soldier than to pension him off his family.

Erecting monuments at Gettysburg and Valley Forge is well enough fifty or a hundred years ago, but now we have the national parks, historical monuments, and the like.

Red Cross money is an insurance policy against death, not against disease. Philadelphia's \$300,000 will surely preserve scores of lives. So it insures against death itself, which is something an ordinary insurance policy does not do.

Wipe out Philadelphia's hospitals and how many more persons will die every year? Doctors tell me the number is not very large in sugar.

Carrots contain less water than turnips, but 10 per cent more than potatoes. Parsnips contain more sugar than carrots, and turnips contain as much as 90 per cent water and have scarcely any dietary value, but are very wholesome and scalding.

The London Lance says these vegetables have little value as tissue building because of the small amount of protein in them, their chief value being for their carbohydrates in sugar.

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## Daily Rations Small

### Almost Impossible to Get Sugar at Present

Fifteen months ago, a few days after arriving in England, I entered a large grocery store in Tottenham Court Road in quest of a pound of sugar for a special dish we were planning to eke out boarding house meals with. I was refused. With all the indignation of a child who come from a country where nothing is ever short I stamped out. And have never entered that store since.

But now I have a heavy price to pay all the time there they stand in a queue for an hour or so, and carry the parcel away with me if I could go to the side and buy a pound of sugar. Also, I'd pay triple the travelling price. The sugar I'd never have a chance of purchasing, and the price is fixed by the government.

Yes, I have a heavy price to pay, and if there was sugar in it the fact was skilfully concealed. This morning I drank my tea without sugar. Last night I had a meal where the course was sweetened with dates, and I have learned in these inconvenient times that marmalade made with dates instead of sugar, is one of the palatable dishes.

On Saturday I paused before an antique shop near Edgeware road to investigate the cymours of a crowd.

The price of the article was the average English window display was a Spode sugar bowl full of桌 sugar.

A hardware manager has solved his individual problem by giving complimentary tickets to his grocer. A Bromley bookseller advertises books cheap for sugar. Who drives with sugar? Not for Australia.

At Christie's Red Cross Sale a bag of sugar completely overshadowed the works of Rubens and the King's British褒扬的 books in the Chow dynasty. Charity fete bags of sugar are more popular than illicit officers' dances.

In the Savoy the water gun-shells dispense sugar to taste. In whisper your preference in coffee. If you take sugar he delicately deposits on your saucer a tiny square the size of an aspirin tablet will. If you don't sign off is your reward. In tea-rooms a somewhat similar procedure is followed, but there everyone takes sugar—and pockets it for future use.

At first you only had to spend fifty cents for wares you wanted to get the price of sugar you did. Then, stores open for nonessential running out in the average home, protest was made and the grocer was prohibited from making complaints. But all that is necessary is a sweet smile, the proper humidity, membership in the same club and church, an exchange or greetings between wives and a modest store bill of one hundred dollars.

What bewilders us is that we can buy a ton of candy for a dollar, and within an area of two hundred yards there are a ton of confectionary stores—and a pound of sugar for anyone.

The other day a kind Canadian friend sent me half a pound of sugar—the parcel cost sixteen cents—and it reached me. A Canadian woman keeping house in England on the assumption of five pounds a week, paid by an impatient mother wasn't so fortunate. Probably the government required that five pounds for the confectionery she bought.

By government decree, they have cut down to one and five-sevenths ounces a day—try it and see what it tastes like—but most of us never see enough together to weigh or anything but a chemist's scales.

### The Song Of Merit

#### John Wanted Boots That Would Sing for Him

John Chinaman often has peculiar ideas about the wearing apparel that he likes. He has a desire to have always wants boots that are several sizes too large, for he believes that in that way he gets more value for his money. His idea is that if we have boots may have to possess other peculiar characteristics before they meet his full approval, as the following story illustrates:

A Chinese merchant offered a pair of fine boots he had long kept in stock to a Chinese for \$3. The Oriental finally took them, but two days later he brought them back.

"What's the trouble?" he enquired the merchant. "Him good boots."

"Him no good," declared John. "Me like sing-song very soon wear out. Me like sing-song very soon wear out. Me like sing-song very soon wear out."

"Sing-song boot!" exclaimed the merchant. "Me no saber."

"Me tink you want all hit," replied John. "Who fo him boot no singer. Squeak! Squeak! when Chinaman walks, all same good boot."

When the merchant had given him in exchange for the fine boots a pair of coarse, cheap ones that squeaked loudly, John Chinaman departed highly satisfied.

### The Cut Direct

Mrs. Subbubs—"If I give you a meal will you cut our grass?"

"Wearie Walker-Lady, I'll cut it dead; I'll scorn ter notice it."

## Financial Conditions Are Satisfactory

### Australia Did Big Business Despite the War

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## Airplanes Were Foretold

### Isaiah, Jeremiah, Zachariah and Hosea Prophesied Man's Flying

Charles A. Dana, whose biography as its editor, made the New York Sun "shine for all," visited Jerusalem. He wrote afterward of the extraordinary man who had come to the Holy Land.

He said that man should some day come up to the Holy City "behind a swaying furnace."

The little Baldwin locomotive upon its crooked track gave a good imitation of a "swaying furnace" that bright February day I ascended from Jerusalem.

But that has nothing to do with airplanes, which is what I mean to write about. There are fifty thousand airplanes hovering over the arsenals of Europe and America, and the United States may send over many more.

Now turn to your Bible and read these flock of winged men.

"Behold, he shall fly as an eagle and spread his wings."

Sesostris also took a mortal photograph of a winged man: "Behold, like a bird of prey he comes." He was a winged man.

Like the eagle, he was a winged man.

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While they ate, Mrs. Bartlett, who had pushed up her veil far enough to enable her to eat without revealing her features, watched Dolly keenly from behind the veil. The brightness of the eyes was visible, and she marveled at how well Dolly was very pale, very apathetic. There was a dull look about her, as though she were dredged up, ate in silence, apparently不知道 what she ate, and except for an occasional inquiry from the man as to what they would eat or drink, the meal passed in silence. There was so much chattering at other tables in the hall, however, that their silence might well pass unnoticed.

When the meal was over they left the restaurant and walked off, although the sky was grey and cold, and the damp wind nipped.

Cooper, with his strange politeness, inquired the wishes of his companions as to whether they would walk or drive. They elected to walk for the sake of the fresh air. The calèche had been stalling, the selle de Flandres steaming.

"They went down hill, over the gritty cobble of the streets, between the high houses, down into water in the gutters, running with them all the way. At a shop which bore the sign of Au Petit General, Cooper stopped to get warmer clothes you require for yourself and your lady; it is a good shop," he said, and handed a ten-pound note to Mrs. Bartlett. "I will smoke my cigar while you are shopping."

While they made their purchases—some warm wraps, a change of clothing, combs and brushes, and a few small necessaries—Cooper waited up and down outside, consulting his impatience, if he felt any. Now and again a woman, tripping by daintily, in short, tight dresses, on each side, as the Frenchman does, in the red and blue cobble, would send a sideways look at the dark handsome face; and in spite of his preoccupation the man was not unaware of those glances, for he felt that he was in an amorous glance from the velvety eyes with the yellow whites. It was his way with women, most detestable way.

An older English-looking—white mustached man, well set up and clean-looking, a comfortable matron, and a couple of rosy-cheeked, blue-eyed girls, came into the shop. Looking at some articles, they asked for the whereabouts of the British consulate, and were told. Mrs. Bartlett, waiting for her change from the ten-pound note, listened with a smile for an answer.

Their shopping done, they entered a tram and were carried up to the Rangarts. Leaving the tram at its terminal point, they walked over hill to where the ground began to fall again to the level country dotted with its church towers, its steep-roofed villages, its rows of formal palms, and its great, low, long lawns. They went on without asking questions. They had walked quite a long way before Cooper pulled up short. There was no one in the country, except a bouldered over, standing at a corner where four roads met.

The rain had begun again, more hopelessly than ever, and a chill, biting wind blew. There was no shelter in the dark, silent road. The covered cart was welcome. It was better in it than outside. Perhaps that was why Mrs. Bartlett helped him so much, so that he could have his head under the hood. They sat on hard planks, but it was better than outside; it was comfortable by comparison, their feet in heat, warmth.

Cooper sat back in the seat of the driver. The two men sheltered the interior of the cart from the rain, which blew in their faces. Cooper held his cigarette and smoked with an uninterested air, turning round now and again to ask them if they were comfortable.

They went in silence only broken by the sound of the driver's whip and Cooper's occasional inquiry. The backs of the two men filled up the front of the cart. The driver—the quick-thinking, fat, unsmiling man, head which looked to one side. The curtain was fastened together at the back. Above the heads of the two men nothing

was visible but the darkening sky and the driving rain.

The rain was hard and draughty inside, although it had seemed warm when they escaped from the bitter wind and rain into the shelter. The winds were hard and the atmosphere suddenly stuffy, despite the draughts. Dolly had fallen asleep, leaning against Mrs. Bartlett's shoulder. Mrs. Bartlett nodded after a time, despite the crampedness of her position, came to with a confused sense of what was happening, and nodded again.

It had seemed to her that they had been going on for several hours, during which Dolly's head had jerked to and fro against her shoulder while she tried to keep it steady. She woke to a sense of intense pain in her arm.

Cooper straightened himself, pulled the key from the lock, pushed at the gate with all his strength, and it opened before him.

The car had stopped.

While she wondered what was going to happen, Cooper came round the side of the carriage, and announced that they had reached their destination.

The car was standing before a gate in a high wall. Stiffly she obeyed him and alighted, standing to one side while he drove.

"There was something the matter with the driver. He seemed to have no control over the muscles of his neck and shoulders. His eyes were without intelligence. There was a sunken sort of the sea in the air, but all detail was blotted out in the pall of steady rain. The road by which the car had driven down hill was apparently a cart track. There were some grey huddled shapes in the rain—sheep. A little bell sounded somewhere close to them—a sheep.

The two drew together forlornly, while Cooper fumbled with the lock of the gate, which seemed to give him some trouble. Mrs. Bartlett looked at Dolly, who had begun to shiver.

The fourth side of the square was formed by the house itself. It had originally been whitewashed but it was now sadly in need of another coat. The lower windows were barred and the bars rusty. A climbing rose had

come awake and wore a chill and frightened look. To her imagination it was a woman who had come to see that the rooms were black and fireless within. The creeping dusk was over everything.

The woman had hardly thought of it. She seemed to realize for the first time that they were in Cooper's hands completely. Last person the girl had seen was the driver and further away from him into the mist that hid all beyond him.

She drew nearer to Dolly, taking her cold hand into a close grasp.

"Nothing shall hurt you, my lamb, as I am here under his breath."

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CHAPTER XVIII.

The Farm House Amid the Dunes

The door shut to behind them as they passed through and they heard the key turn in the lock. A chill, a chill, cold as the grave, breathed upon them from the house. Damp, of course, what else could it be? The walls were streaked with damp, with its austerities of sand and water.

A chaff cart, cold as the grave, reeking with damp, the surface of the earth, the mud, the crevices, the cracks, were blisters, the caps and brasses on the wall were dull; the mirror over the mantelpiece was as though it rained tears.

"The house is built with sea sand, it always weeps of a wet day."

Dolly stood forlornly shivering in her winter wraps, gazing down at her as though she did not know who she was.

"I'll have a fire in a few minutes," Cooper went on. "Take my umbrella, it will keep you dry. I shall have a servant for you presently. You can live like princesses—theugly and the beautiful."

He laughed unpleasantly, taking up the basket which stood by the hearth.

fallen from the walls and lay across the path. The panes were covered with condensation. There was not a single pane that could see that the rooms were black and fireless within.

The creeping dusk was over everything.

"I am here, so help me Cooper, as the hearts of the tired women. He was unlock the door as he spoke. "I am sorry, but I did not forget that I am a soldier, a fire is always a fire for me since I was here for no time. It is not so long since I was here for you. Miss, I am here for you. I have to leave. I will fetch whatever you may want from the village."

The door opened with a sudden force, as though it yielded to a pressure, and Cooper was back to let them in.

A chaff cart, cold as the grave,

breathed upon them from the house.

Damp, of course, what else could it be?

The walls were streaked with damp,

with its austerities of sand and water.

The roof was not upright, it gave

the room a queer, lopsided shape.

Stiffly she obeyed him and alighted, standing to one side while he drove.

"There was something the matter with the driver. He seemed to have no control over the muscles of his neck and shoulders. His eyes were without intelligence. There was a sunken sort of the sea in the air, but all detail was blotted out in the pall of steady rain. The road by which the car had driven down hill was apparently a cart track. There were some grey huddled shapes in the rain—sheep. A little bell sounded somewhere close to them—a sheep.

The fourth side of the square was formed by the house itself. It had originally been whitewashed but it was now sadly in need of another coat. The lower windows were barred and the bars rusty. A climbing rose had

fallen from the walls and lay across the path. The panes were covered with condensation. There was not a single pane that could see that the rooms were black and fireless within.

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From an Address by Robt. Lansing,  
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A. Whitfield, 12 trian. bandages.

\$50 was sent to Miss Pinkham last week for Sept. subscription, and \$30 for Prisoners of War for Sept. and Oct.

The Red Cross Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Halliday, this week.

The Red Cross Society have set aside Saturday, September 29th, to receive donations for the Convalescent Home.

Vegetables, pickles, fruit, fowl, eggs and butter, will be gratefully received.

It is hoped that everybody will do what they can towards helping to feed our invalid soldiers. Send in your donations whether big or small, for every little helps.

Send in your donations to Laut's Store, and don't forget the date.

Don't forget the Annual Meeting on Friday, October 5th.

A full attendance is particularly requested.

### Local and General

A change has taken place during the week in the agency of the Imperial Oil Co.

Burns and Co. shipped tan car load of cattle from here on Thursday.

Thelma Hulgert won the second prize for an Essay at the Olds Inspectorate W.C.T.U. Last year Thelma won the 1st prize in the same contest, for the Province.

Mae Ruddy won second prize for an Essay in the High School contest for the Olds Inspectorate.

We were moved with deep feelings of sorrow on Wednesday morning when we saw the name of Pvt. E. E. Edwards in the list of killed. Pvt. Edwards went overseas with the 187th Battalion. Before joining the forces he worked as assistant agent at the C.P.R. Depot at Crossfield for about three years, and was well respected by all those with whom he came in contact. He was a vestryman at the Church of the Ascension, and was always ready to help in any way possible all objects for the social well-being of the community. The Rev. J. P. Dingle will hold a memorial service at the Anglican Church, on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

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In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Crossfield, Alberta.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge W. Roland Winter, Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary, will at the sittings of the Court on FRIDAY, the FIFTH day of OCTOBER, 1917, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Crossfield.

Dated the 30th day of July, 1917.

W. MCROBY,  
Secretary-Treasurer of the Village of Crossfield.

### NOTICE.

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Rosebud No. 280.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge W. Roland Winter, Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary, will at the sittings of the Court on FRIDAY, the FIFTH day of OCTOBER, 1917, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Rosebud No. 280.

Dated at Crossfield, this 30th day of July, 1917.

W. MCROBY,  
Secretary-Treasurer of the Rural Municipality of Rosebud No. 280.

### Y.M.C.A. Fund

We have been asked to open a Subscription list on behalf of the Y.M.C.A., and as we recognize the great amount of good that this Association has done on behalf of "Our Boys" we willingly do so. The benefits that have been derived from the huts at the front will never be fully realized. And as all the sources the association have to draw upon are the funds the public supply, we hope that all who are able to help will give something, so how little it may be. Remember the old saw, "Little drops of water."

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